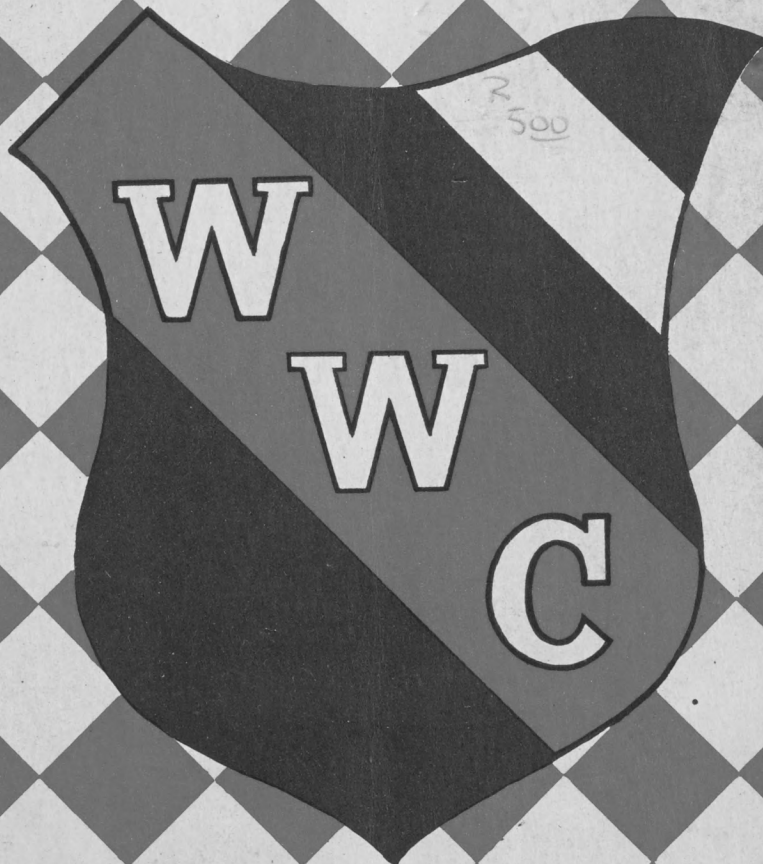


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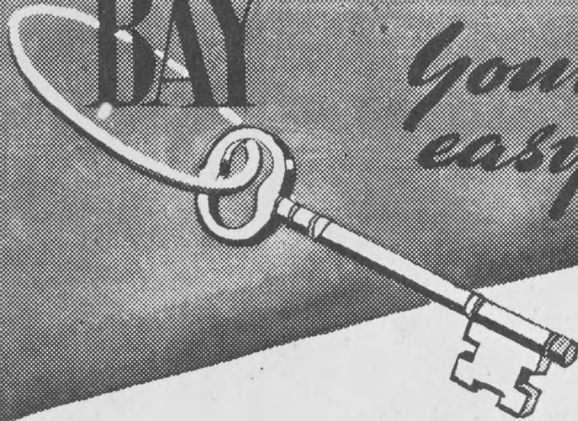


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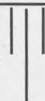
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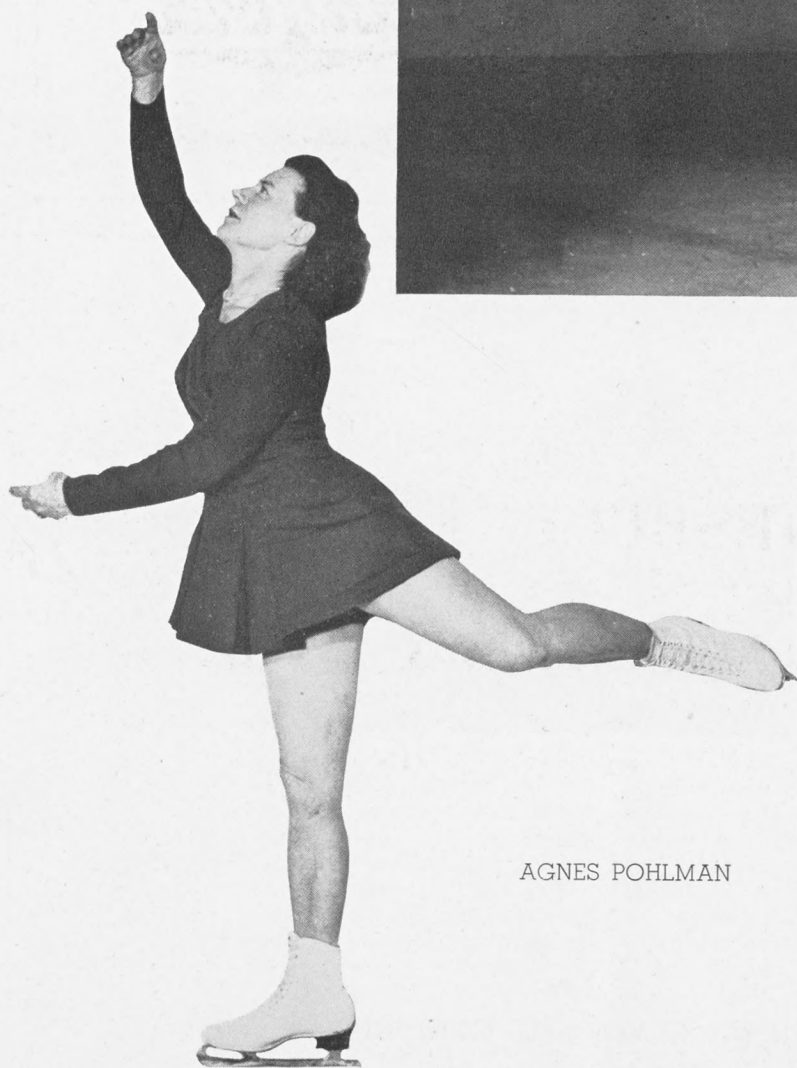
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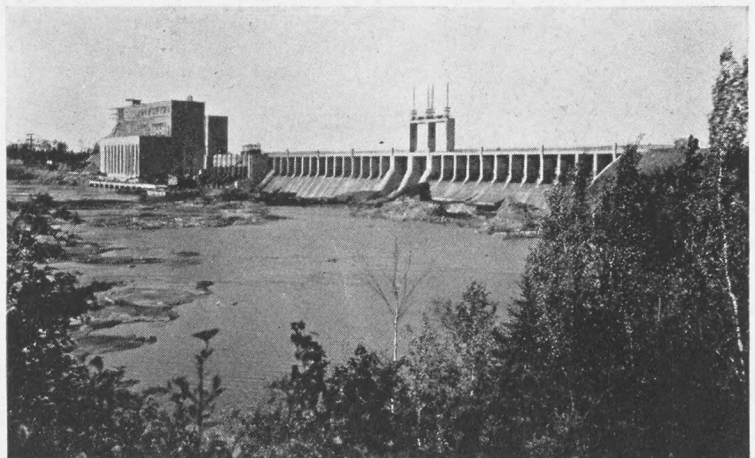
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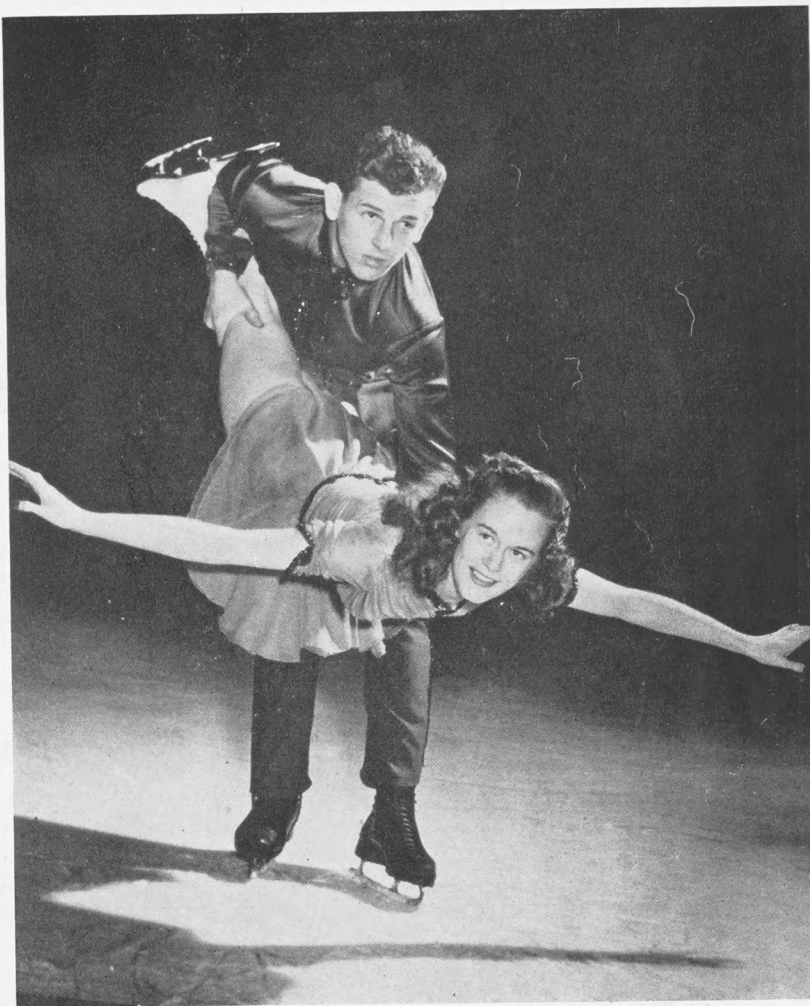
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Vocalist..... CORA JAMES

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INTRODUCTION.....“The Gypsy”..... *Billy Reid*
Vocalist.....CORA JAMES

GITANOS.....“Hungarian Dances Nos. 5 and 6”..... *Brahms*

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TZIGANE.....“Fortune Teller Medley”..... *Victor Herbert*
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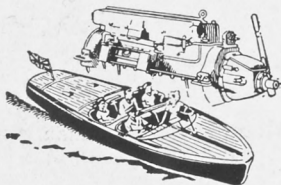
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THE Winnipeg Winter Club Annual Skating Carnival, like many of the young men and young ladies who have in the past been developed in skating and have gone forth to establish fine records for their Club, has now come to maturity and this year the Club presents to its many thousands of good friends in and about Winnipeg, its Twenty-First Annual Carnival.

A long and very fine series of shows has been produced by the Club from its earliest beginnings and in the development of these shows the Club can best perhaps be compared to the babe that walks feebly at first and grows with the years, widens its interests, taking into its life new and interesting friends and finally reaches its maturity with its place well established in the community. The fundamentals of figure skating were not at the same time being overlooked. In these same years the Club had developed figure skaters of National repute and later produced Dominion of Canada and North American Titalists.

First held as a good costume show the carnivals were the effort of the Winnipeg Skating Club; the original club which grew to include more than skating in its activities and then became the Winnipeg Winter Club in 1928. Even before that date, however, members who planned programs advanced beyond mere costuming to exhibitions of fine skating, to lovely choruses trained in precision, to themes worthy of the applause of Winnipeg audiences. That they succeeded during the years has been reflected in the large crowds attending previous shows and all of which has proved that a high standard has been maintained during the twenty-one years that figure skating carnivals have been presented.

Carnivals were annual affairs until the dark days of war brought reverses, danger and suffering. Then, although the Club carried on its shows for a year or two, objectives were changed and Winnipeg Winter Club Skaters worked that service funds

might be benefited and finally the total proceeds from carnivals were turned over for the use of the Red Cross Society.

Like many of its youthful members, who responded when the call to arms came, the Club itself as well answered such a call and made its biggest sacrifice. The lovely, happy home of the Club was given up to provide training grounds for some of Canada's Navy. Club rooms became ward rooms; badminton courts were sleeping quarters; the very fine rink was turned into a parade ground. So like many of its members who donned uniform the Club home at 51 Smith Street, has for about five years been in uniform as the home of thousands of service men and a very valuable training unit. With peace the club members and executives, like the veteran who has returned to establish himself in civilian life, are planning for a post-war home. Possibly it will be the one they so willingly gave up when it was urgently needed. On the other hand, it may be necessary, when this can be done, for the Club to establish new club premises. Winnipeg may be assured that as soon as this can be arranged, a new Winnipeg Winter Club will be provided for the members of the Club and for the benefit of the City of Winnipeg. This year the Winnipeg Winter Club presents its show in the hope of bringing music, rythm, grace, color and gaiety to those who love skating and skating shows. Guest artists have come from other parts of Canada to support the Twenty-First Annual Carnival and member skaters have just now returned from new victories in the Western Canada Championships.

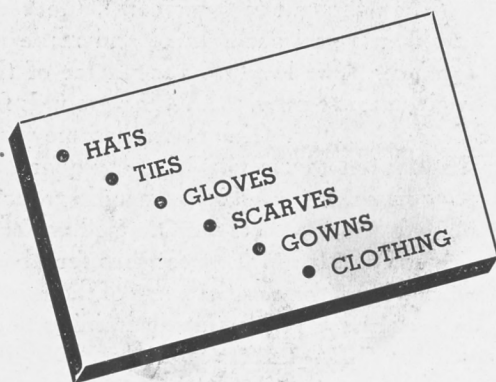
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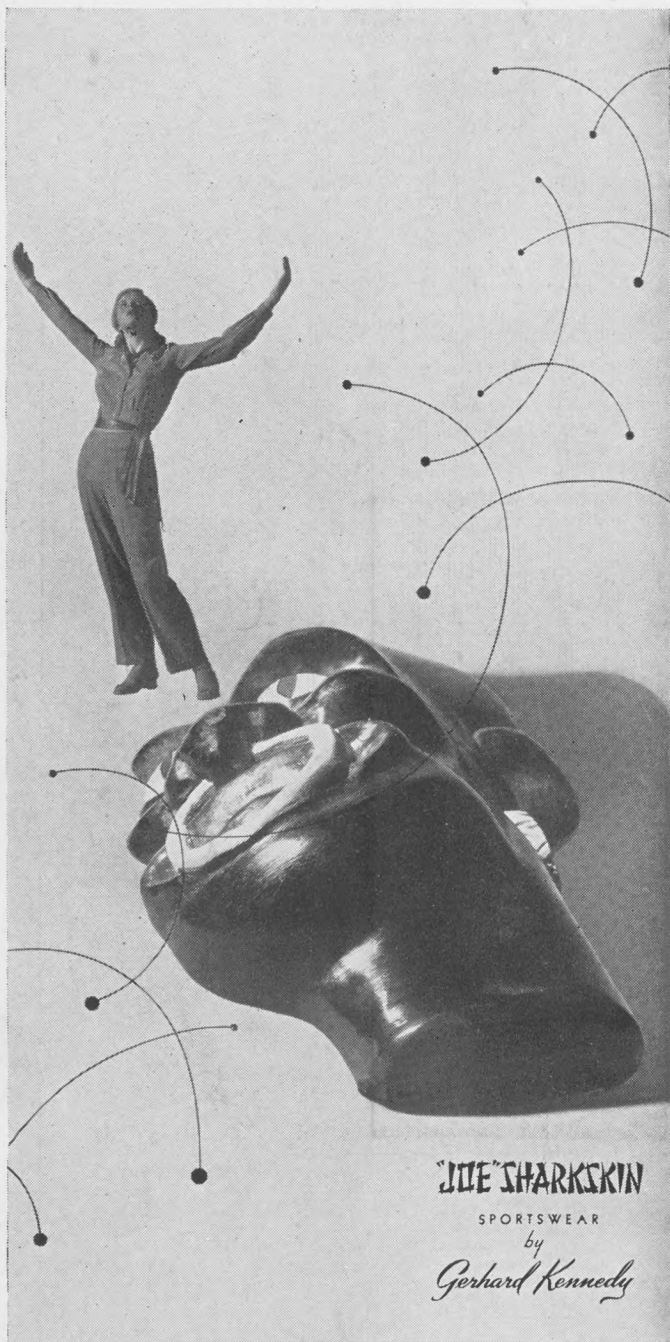
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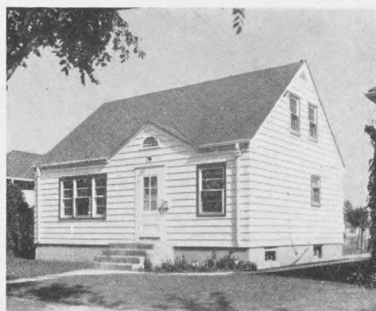
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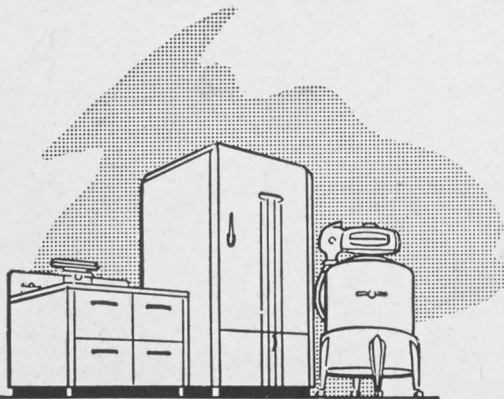
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